

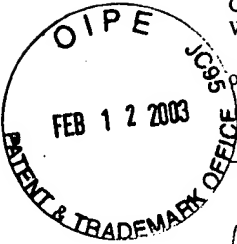
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Case No. P-191

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Pamukcu et al. )

Serial No.: 09/938,160 )

Filed: August 23, 2001 )

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OF SCLERODERMA )

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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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AMENDMENT

Please cancel claims 31-37 and 40.

REMARKS

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720.00 CH In response to the restriction requirement dated October 8, 2002, Applicants traverse that requirement with respect to categories I, II and IV, but will consent to it with respect to category III. Accordingly, claims 31-37 and 40 have been cancelled.